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In re Patent Application of:  
Daryl Real et al.

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For: METHOD OF ENHANCING REPRODUCTIVE  
PERFORMANCE OF SOWS

Examiner: D. A. Jagoe

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated August 31, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1-6,  
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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